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With reference to our conversation in conversation on Friday, 21 February 1964, I am writing to confirm the substance of our discussion relating to the Multiple Image Correlator.

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We are looking into the question of preparing the equipment for delivery to Washington D.C., and I will communicate with you on this matter in the very near future.

I trust this will clear up any misunderstanding which may have occurred.

STATINTL Yours truly,